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Minutes of Non-Inmate Absolute Hearing for November 01, 2017

The Non-Inmate Absolute Hearing Session was held on November 01, 2017 at the Rockville Superior Court, 20 Park Street, Rockville, CT 06066. The following board members and support staff were in attendance:

Carleton Giles, Chairperson
Rufaro Berry, Board Member
Carmen Sierra, Board Member
Jaryd Boisvert, Staff
Michael Cardona, Staff
Kathleen Dickey, Staff
Wendy Peacock, Staff
Tara Brooks, Manager

The Chairperson called the meeting to order at 9:13 a.m. and declared the presence of a quorum. Michael Cardona served as Secretary for the purpose of recording and transcribing minutes. The Chairperson recognized the attendance of the petitioners and other members of the public who were present. The agenda was a public hearing of all cases scheduled for pardon consideration on the November 01, 2017 Pardons Hearing docket.

All cases were called. Upon completion of all hearings, at 10:49 a.m. the Chairperson moved that the panel enter Executive Session, pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes Section 1-231, for the purpose of deliberation on individual applications for pardon, including matters which are and will be exempt from public disclosure, because of the following reason:

1. Discussions of matters which may involve information, the disclosure of which, would constitute an invasion of personal privacy, pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes Sec. 1-210 (b) (2).

Berry seconded. Unanimous.

At 11:01 a.m. upon completion of consideration of the applications, Chairperson Giles moved to end the executive session. Berry seconded. Unanimous.

The Board reconvened the public portion of the meeting, the following petitions were determined, by vote, as indicated:

	CASE NUMBER	APPLICANTS FIRST NAME	APPLICANTS LAST NAME	Full Hearing Results 11/01/17	SECONDED BY	UNANIMOUS
1	8843	Carlos	Arbulu	Chairperson Giles moved to Grant Pardon	Berry	Yes
2	8564	Renee	Avery	Chairperson Giles moved to Grant Pardon	Berry	Yes
3	8906	Rashan	Bostic	Chairperson Giles moved to Grant Pardon	Berry	Yes
4	8435	Mohamed	Camara	Chairperson Giles moved to Deny Pardon	Berry	Yes
5	8228	Delaine	Campbell	Chairperson Giles moved to Grant Pardon	Berry	Yes
6	183	Michael	Cocchiola	Chairperson Giles moved to Grant Pardon	Berry	Yes
7	8978	Frank	Driscoll	Chairperson Giles moved to Grant Pardon	Berry	Yes
8	7849	Ernest	Henry	Chairperson Giles moved to Grant Pardon	Berry	No
9	6146	Mark	Jordan	Chairperson Giles moved to Grant Pardon	Berry	Yes
10	7995	Shirley	Joyner	Chairperson Giles moved to Deny Pardon	Berry	Yes
11	3983	Virginie	Jules	Chairperson Giles moved to Grant Pardon	Berry	No
12	8148	Candace	Lamar	Chairperson Giles moved to Grant Pardon	Berry	Yes
13	8610	Susan	Menefee	Chairperson Giles moved to Grant Pardon	Berry	Yes
14	6730	Dwayne	Rios	Chairperson Giles moved to Grant Pardon	Berry	Yes
15	9052	Eric	Spencer	Chairperson Giles moved to Grant Pardon	Berry	Yes
16	8711	Brandon	Tavares	Chairperson Giles moved to Grant Pardon	Berry	Yes
17	8132	Christopher	Thompson	Chairperson Giles moved to Grant Pardon	Berry	Yes

Other Business and Updates:

Where the vote was not unanimous:
 #7849 Henry, Ernest - BM Sierra voted NO.
 #3983 Jules, Virginie - BM Sierra voted NO.

Chairperson Giles requested that the minutes of the meeting be forwarded to the Connecticut State Library and each pardon applicant be notified of the Board's decision regarding their pardon petition.

The panel and staff conducted informal discussion regarding future hearings.

There being no further business, the session was adjourned at 11:07 a.m..

Respectfully Submitted,



Dorigene LaRosa
 Secretary II, Pardon Unit